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The Honorable Joseph J. Farnan, Jr.  
United States District Court  
Lock Box 27  
844 N. King Street  
Wilmington, DE 19801

**RE: Federal Insurance Co., et al. v. Lighthouse Constr. Inc., et al.**  
**C.A. No.: 04-339 JJF**  
**C.A. No.: 04-1322 JJF**  
**C.A. No.: 05-096 JJF**  
**Our File No.: 6419**

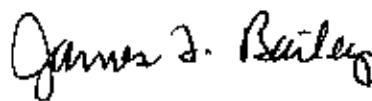
Dear Judge Farnan:

I represent ONM in the above noted matters. A pretrial conference is set for February 7, 2006 at 12:30 p.m. As you may know, the other parties have formally settled and my client has an informal settlement, which we expect to reduce to writing in the next few days.

Accordingly, I request that the conference be canceled pending completion of the settlement.

Respectfully submitted,

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cc: Clerk of the Court (via U.S. Mail)